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PRESS RELEASE FROM THE PREMIER, MR. DUNSTAN.

SUBJECT: PREMIER ON ITALIAN T.V.

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South Australia has much to learn from Italy in the field of industrial development, South Australian Premier, Don Dunstan, believes.

Mr. Dunstan told this to film director and interviewer, Giulio Colavolpe, in a film made for T.V. screening in Rome.

The Premier said the combination of private and public investment and governmental planning of the economy in Italy had been notably successful.

He said he had had an opportunity of studying this at first hand during a recent visit to Italy and that it was the kind of planning which could well be applied to South Australia.

Mr. Colavolpe together with an Italian film crew toured Australia gathering material for two one-hour programmes to be produced by Transworld Films under the sponsorship of R.A.I. - Radio Television Italiana.

The programmes, to be screened this month, are expected to have an audience of 12 to 18 million people.

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Dear Tony,

I notice from my file on the visit some weeks ago of Italian film director Mr. Giulio Colavolpe that you requested a background run-down on Colavolpe and his program.

My apologies for having overlooked this, but the information you required is as follows:

The material gathered by Mr. Colavolpe was for two one-hour television programmes to be produced by Transworld Films, Rome, on behalf of and under the sponsorship of RAI-Radio Televisione, Italiana, Viale Mazzini 11, Rome, Italy. The films will be realized by Italian journalists Fabrizio Dentice, Pino Passalacqua, and Giulio Colavolpe. The programmes are likely to be broadcast some time in October or November on Channel 1 (national) which has an audience of 12 to 18 million people.

I hope the above is still of some use to you, and once again my apologies for my tardiness in giving it to you.

Also, please accept my warm thanks for your assistance and I would be obliged if you would pass on to the Premier my appreciation of his readiness to grant an interview to Mr. Colavolpe at such short notice.

Kind regards,

(Lindsay Ellis)

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